











DeepLook Forecast: July 20, 2018

Little Valley / Cattaraugus County, NY
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Friday 20  82	Saturday 21  58 \ 72	Sunday 22  52 \ 68	Monday 23  62 \ 80	Tuesday 24  65 \ 78	Wednesday 25  62 \ 75	Thursday 26  62 \ 78
26  60 \ 75	27  60 \ 80	28  60 \ 78	29—Aug.1 Cooler than average, rain July 31?		Aug.2—8 Light rain August 3/4. Still cool.	

Forecast Discussion:

If you have been enjoying the warm, dry weather that has been predominant in southwestern New York for most of July... well, um... this coming week will probably not be to your liking.

It's going to rain, and it's going to rain a lot. Friday and Saturday at this point appear to be mostly dry, but from Sunday onward, it's looking like there will be at least some rain most of the week. The heaviest rain I suspect will be Sunday and Wednesday, with light showers likely in between. There's some variation in the model ensemble members, but the best chance for a break in the weather pattern is next Friday and Saturday. Come next Sunday, it appears yet more rain is on its way.

For those wondering about the drought, most of southwestern New York is not in a drought situation, as the region has experienced enough passing rain showers to keep conditions from getting abnormally dry, and the nearly two-inch rainfall from earlier this week actually puts Little Valley *above* normal for rainfall in July and for the year.

Most of the model guidance is in general agreement that this cool, rainy pattern is going to be in place for at least the next three weeks or so. The same models are showing warmer and drier conditions for the week of August 9 or so.

Normals and Almanac: July 20-29

High temperature: 78 — Low temperature: 55
Sunrise: 5:57—6:05^{a.m.} — Sunset: 8:46—8:38^{p.m.} — Daylight: 14^{hr}:49^{min}—14^{hr}:32^{min} (-1.9^{min}/_{day})